JOB ANNOUNCEMENT VACANCY #03-EP-DCPS-0010

Agency: District of Columbia Public Schools (DCPS)

Division/Unit: Office of the Chief Financial Officer

Position: Chief Financial Officer

Grade/Step:

Salary Range: \$130,000 - \$139,000

Area of Consideration: Unlimited
Opening Date: May 11, 2003
Closing Date: June 11, 2003

Number of Vacancies: One

Position Description: The Chief Financial Officer (CFO) directs the overall financial planning and accounting practices of the District of Columbia Public Schools (DCPS). Provides financial leadership and services according to federal and local governmental regulations by adhering to policies and practices that promote fiscal integrity, effective collaboration on new initiatives with internal and external partners, and ensures adequate funding and support for educational initiatives. The ideal candidate must possess a combination of managerial acumen, knowledge of financial management, diplomatic skills, and the tenacity to implement large-scale educational and institutional change.

Qualification Requirements: Must have a minimum of one year or more of specialized experience at a level of difficulty and responsibility comparable to the next lower grade level. An equivalent combination of education and experience may be substituted for the required level of specialized experience. A minimum of 10 years professional work experience, including five years of supervisory experience is preferred. Advanced degree and experience working in a school system is a plus.

Submission Materials: DC2000 (employment application) with resume and cover letter with salary history.

Submission Information

To: Office of Management and Administration

Recruitment Division

941 North Capitol St, NE – Suite 1200

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